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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDERS, DEFENSE CONTRACT MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

SUBJECT: DCMC Memorandum No. 96-96, Government Bills of Lading System (GOBILS) (**POLICY**)

This is a POLICY memorandum. This policy remains in effect until incorporated into DLAD 5000.4, not to exceed one year. Target Audience: All DCMC Transportation Offices.

As a result of a Joint Transportation Corporate Information Management project, both GOBILS and the Transportation Automated Management System (TRAMS) were declared legacy systems. GOBILS is scheduled to shut down by April, 1997 and TRAMS in 1998. To comply with the schedule, DCMC Contract Administration Offices (CAOs) are no longer authorized to enter data into, or use, the GOBILS system for generating reports or tracking Government Bills of Lading (GBLs).

CAOs and Procedure "A" contractors will use TRAMS to produce all Government Bills of Lading (GBLs) and generate reports. Based on results from a user-survey and recommendations from a DCMC Transportation Process Action Team, some additional reports relating to GBLs will be added to TRAMS in the near future. Reports currently available in TRAMS plus the additional ones will satisfy tracking and reporting requirements for GBLs. These reports will also be added to the CONUS Freight Management System before TRAMS migration in 1998.

Please direct questions concerning this action to Mr. Paul Kretzing (703) 767-3635 or DSN 427-3635.

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